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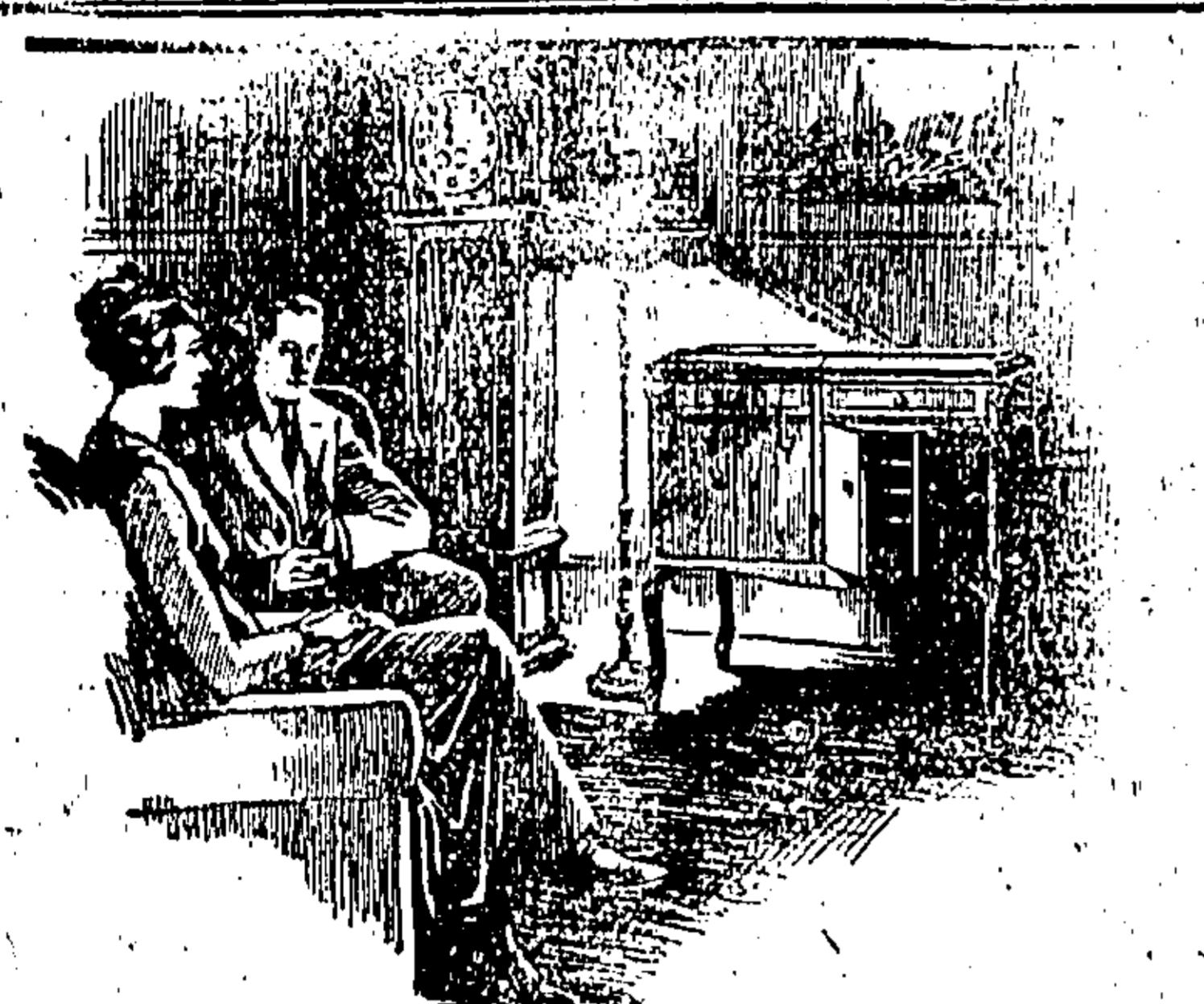
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CHURCHILL'S POLITICAL IDEALS

AGAINST SOCIALISM

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, March 6.

Mr. Scott Duckers, the Liberal candidate for the Abbey Division of Westminster, has written to Mr. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the Conservative Party, asking him to state whether he in any way supports Mr. Winston Churchill's candidature.

Mr. Churchill, interviewed to-day, emphasised that his political position had not changed compared with the last twenty years, when he had always fought both Protection and Socialism. Even if the whole weight of the Conservative Party machine opposed him he would not feel resentful and would not return the attack. But he would rejoice at an opportunity of co-operating with the Conservatives since they had returned to a progressive platform.

LABOUR'S CHOICE

LONDON, March 6.

Mr. Fenner-Brockway, Secretary of the Labour Party, has been adopted as Labour candidate for the Abbey Division of Westminster. Mr. Havelock Wilson has abandoned his intention of standing as a Trade Unionist Candidate.

ANGER IN COURT

HIGH TREASON TRIAL

PROSECUTOR INDIGNANT

MUNICH, March 6.

The action of the two prosecutors in indignantly leaving the court followed a remark by one of the defendants' counsel that a regular mania for arrests prevailed on the side of the prosecution, but they had not arrested those guilty of the blood bath of November 9, meaning Kahr, Lossow, and Seisser.

The audience applauded this remark whereupon the chief prosecutor left, banging the door violently behind him.

The Court later assembled again when counsel for the defendants apologised, but it is not yet certain whether the prosecutor will return.

CLAIM FOR £2,000,000.

INSURANCE FRAUD SEQUEL

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

LONDON, March 6.

After twenty-four days' hearing in the Chancery Court, Mr. Justice Romer reserved judgment in the case in which the Official Receiver, as liquidator of the City Equitable Fire Insurance Company asked on a misfeasance summons that Gerard Lee Bevan who was sentenced on December 5, 1922 to jail for fraud, and the other directors and auditors of the Company should be ordered to pay £2,000,000, the amount of the losses resulting from Bevan's frauds.

The respondents denied that they were guilty of any breach of trust.

INTERNATIONAL GOLF

MIAMI, (FLORIDA), March 7.

In the final of the international golf team championship the Americans Melhorn and MacDonald Smith defeated the Americans Brady and Jock Hutchison by 4 up and 3 to play. In the semi-final the professionals Havers and Ockenden were beaten by two holes and the American Magen and the Australian Kirkwood by one hole.—Reuter's American Service.

ANOTHER STORM WEATHERED.

LONDON, March 6.

The House of Commons rejected by 240 to 170 votes the Conservative motion to reduce the supply vote as a protest against the agreement with Germany with regard to the British reparations levy. The Liberals voted with the Government.

DUTCH EAST INDIES

OIL TAX INSTITUTED

THE HAGUE, March 7.

The First Chamber passed by 24 votes to 14 a bill retaining the tax on produce in the East Indies and instituting the oil tax previously mentioned.

OPIUM EVIL

SWITZERLAND'S DECISION

BERNE, March 7.

The Committee of the National Council has decided with one dissentient to propose ratification of the Opium Convention.

STILL IN THE AIR

SINGAPORE BASE SPECULATION

REPORTS PREMATURE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, March 6.

The newspaper report that the Cabinet has decided not to proceed with the Singapore base scheme is not confirmed officially. The Cabinet Committee under the chairmanship of Mr. J. R. Clynes, Deputy Leader of the House of Commons, is considering the scheme and has not yet made its report.

An official interviewed by Reuter to-day said the question was so important that the decision would probably be first announced in Parliament. "The report may or not be correct, but it is premature."

It is hoped the committee will report to the Cabinet next week.

[An earlier cable stated that notwithstanding Mr. Ammon's statement in the House of Commons, the Daily Mail understands that at a Cabinet meeting held yesterday, a report was received from Mr. Clynes, Chairman of the Sub-Committee on the Singapore base proposal. The Daily Mail says there is good reason to state that the Government has decided not to proceed with the project, and the newspapers advance the opinion that resignations from the Board of the Admiralty are to be expected unless the Government announces that it has over-ridden the Naval Staff's advice.]

LATER,

The Press Association understands that the Government has decided not to proceed with the Singapore scheme. The decision has been communicated to the Dominions and the Government will await their replies before making an announcement in the House of Commons.

PHARAOH'S GLORIES

TREASURE TOMB RECEPTION

ELABORATE CEREMONY

LUXOR, March 6.

Tutankhamen's tomb was reopened this afternoon, when about 200 distinguished personages were present, including Lord Allenby, the Egyptian Ministers, foreign diplomats and members of Parliament, admitted as guests of the Egyptian Government to view the gold-covered coffin.

The guests travelled in special trains.

Elaborate ceremonies included the slaying of two bulls as a sacrifice in the centre of Luxor, as was customary in the days of the pharaohs. The streets were decorated and a banquet in the evening was followed by a fete and fireworks.

Neither Mr. Howard Carter, who discovered the tomb for the late Lord Carnarvon, nor his staff were present.

OMINOUS

MARK'S SENSATIONAL DROP

PLUNGE SELLING

LONDON, March 6.

After its recent temporary recovery, the French franc has reached a new low record of 100. The Belgian franc is 124½.

NEW YORK, March 6.

An increase of nearly a billion francs in the French note circulation to-day brought plunge selling orders from foreign capitals which precipitated the franc to 3/97.

THREAT TO RESIGN

POINCARE CHALLENGES SENATE

FOUR DAYS' GRACE

PARIS, March 6.

The Finance Committee of the Senate having rejected the three main provisions of the Finance Bill, namely the reduction of expenditure by decree, an increase in taxation by twenty per cent, and the introduction of a system to prevent evasion of income tax, M. Poincaré, the Premier, told the Committee to-day that he would resign unless it changed its view by Tuesday.

TROUBLE IN MOROCCO

LONDON, March 6.

Fresh fighting in Morocco is foreshadowed by the announcement by the Spanish Embassy that 4,000 reinforcements has been sent to Eastern Morocco, where a punitive operation against the rebels is being undertaken.

The statement adds that rebels everywhere have been beaten off by the advanced Spanish positions with less than fifty Spanish casualties.

BOMBAY DEFAULTS

BOMBAY, March 6.

The Legislative Council passed a resolution by 46 to 42 votes for omission of the grant of 43,305 rupees for the Empire exhibition.

TURKISH CABINET RESIGNS

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 6.

The Cabinet resigned yesterday evening in order to facilitate better task of reconstruction.



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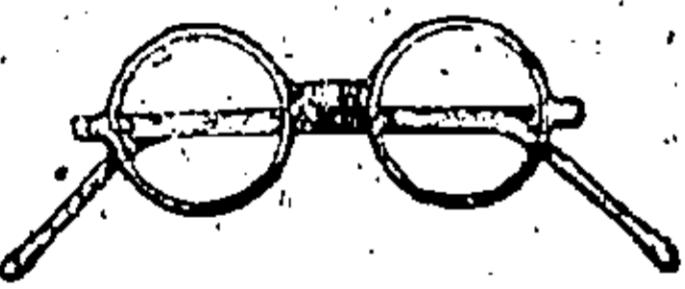


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BIRTH.
KIRLY.—On March 2, 1924, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kirby, a son.

MARRIAGES.

PHILLIPS — BURTENSHAW.—On March 1, 1924, at Shanghai, Thomas Phillips, son of the late Thomas Truslow Phillips, of Portsmouth, England, to Evelyn Marie Burtenshaw, daughter of the late Arthur Reaves Burtenshaw, Taunton, Somerset.

EDSALL — RIVETT.—On March 1, 1924, at Shanghai, Charles J. A. Edsall, of Kobe, to Avice, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rivett, of Stockport, and Deganwy, North Wales.

DEATH.

HORNBY.—At Hongkong, on 7th inst., David Hornby, ship draughtsman, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 1924.

DISTRACTIONS.

If there is any piece of advice that goes begging nowadays, it is that which seeks to urge that words forming definite and dogmatic statements should be weighed before they are either uttered or committed to print and publication. We are reminded of this by two such pieces of dogmatism from entirely differ-

any confirming evidence that there are people who do this kind of thing. It may be that all these strictures are meant for those "who profess and call themselves Christians" and where they apply we trust they will have the needed effect. We are in entire sympathy with the epigrammatic sentence that "there are many people who would enjoy themselves more if they took less amusement," but it all needs sensible elucidation.

Labour "Down Under."

Political factions in New South Wales would seem to be bent on staging something in the nature of a farcical-tragedy. The Labour Party has become a hopelessly divided household. Though the rift may make the unskilful among its friends laugh, it cannot but make the judicious grieve. To-day the organisation has two suns in its firmament—two executive heads, and this is a case where two heads are not better than one for counsel or for fight. A definite cleavage in the ranks of the Labour Party in Australia was bound to come sooner or later, and soonest of all in the parent State, where, to a greater extent than anywhere else, it has been white-anted by the Communists. Things have come to such a pass that a reconciliation of the two factions has apparently got past praying for. The comrades are at daggers drawn, the enmity between them being more bitter, as in the case of all family quarrels, than is their enmity towards those outside the domestic circle. The occasion might be hailed with acclamation by their political adversaries—the Nationalists and the Country Party—but as a matter of fact the relations of these two parties are only a degree more cordial than are those subsisting between the two wings of the Labour Party. The pot and the kettle are almost equally black.

Crackers.

The time is coming when the insane indiscriminate firing of crackers for the mere sake of making a noise will have to cease. Human nature has its limits, and the limit at this and recent times is about reached. It is true there are prohibited areas and it is equally true that the person who desires to make a noise does not worry about prohibition. The custom of cracker firing at a stated time is national; it probably conduces to good feeling and helps trade, and no one would willingly wish to deprive those concerned of any enjoyment they get out of it. The thing is when the custom is extended and day and night made hideous with sudden and unexpected bursts of uproar—tending to jagged nerves and murmurings "sweet and low." Things are taking shape in Shanghai to a suppression of this form of noise. The Chinese Advisory Committee to the Municipal Council have been petitioned by representative Chinese with a request to approach the Council and draw up a regulation making the throwing of crackers and firing them in public places an offence. Until the Chinese in Hongkong themselves take up the matter in this way, we are not prepared to advise that similar regulations be made here. But we do think that no one would object to a close season and an ordinance being made forbidding the firing or setting off of crackers before or after Chinese New Year. If it is desired to serenade departing taipans who have done so much for the Colony—and themselves, then permission to do so from the Governor in Council should have to be sought.

To-day's Poem:
(The Song of the Clipper Ships.)
Oh, the seas have had their fill of us.
From Shanghai to the Horn; Calm and gale their will of us.
Since sailors were born,
These are exquisite and beautiful, and, unlike lots of other epitaphs, very true. Mrs. Baring Gould had been a factory lass, but after some educational preparation and on her marriage, adopted herself with great success to her new responsibilities with such success as to earn the beautiful tribute recorded above.

So far the policy of HOUSING, the Home Labour or Socialist Government, on the question of Housing has not been made known, but if a quotation from a speech of the Health Minister is anything to go by, it will smilingly agree that "money-making is dangerous." There is a reference in these "Notes" to "when it comes to a dance five nights a week" without

any confirming evidence that there are people who do this kind of thing. It may be that all these strictures are meant for those "who profess and call themselves Christians" and where they apply we trust they will have the needed effect. We are in entire sympathy with the epigrammatic sentence that "there are many people who would enjoy themselves more if they took less amusement," but it all needs sensible elucidation.

In view of the oil GOOD TONE scandals which are coming to light in America; and the odour attached to the word politician in America, can English politics be held up as pure and spotless? A conservative M.P. does not think so. He maintains that there has been a distinct lowering of the whole tone of political life, and that Parliaments in succession are getting worse. "The amount of lying, slander, and utter lack of patriotism on real love for the welfare of people baffles description he declared. "Unless young men and women do really set their minds to insist upon truth, honesty and patriotism in politics then I say, heaven help this country!" Amen!

Rag of sail on fore and main,
None will see our like again,
None our deeds forget.
—Marc T. Greene.

WEATHER CALENDAR.

MARCH 7.

1798. A cloudy sky..... One only leaf upon the top of a tree — the sole remaining leaf — danced round and round like a rag blown by the wind.—Dorothy Wordsworth.

SELF-SUFFICIENT.

To be absolutely self-sufficient you must be either a plant, a polypus, or God.
—Keratry (1769-1859).

SHADOWS BEFORE.

Coming Events Advertised
In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

March 7.—Coronet Theatre; "The Third Alarm."

March 7.—Star Theatre; Irene West and Her Royal Hawaiians.

March 7.—World Theatre; "Thousand And One Nights."

March 13.—Theatre Royal; Grand Orchestral Concert, 9.15 p.m.

March 29.—Theatre Royal; Grand Concert, 9.15 p.m.

March 7.—Cinematograph display at Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.

March 8.—H.V.D.C. Lewis and Machine Gun Competitions 3 p.m.

March 8.—Next Tournament of the H.K. Boxing Assn.

March 9.—H.V.D.C. All Comers (rifle) Competition, 9 a.m.

March 11.—Master E. Danenberg's first public recital in St. Andrew's Hall (Theatre Royal), 5.30 p.m.

March 17.—Hongkong Football Club dinner in the Hongkong Hotel, 7.30 p.m.

SPORT.

March 29.—H.K. Jockey Club extra race meeting.

LAND SALE.

March 10.—At P.W.D. Offices, one lot of Crown Land at Ho-Mun-Tin 8 p.m.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

March 14.—Extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine Matheson's Offices, 11.30 a.m.

March 15.—A. S. Watson & Co., thirty-ninth annual meeting at the Hongkong Hotel, 11 a.m.

March 20.—Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., ordinary yearly meeting at 2, Queen's Building, 11 a.m.

March 22.—Yearly Meeting of Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., 11.30 a.m.

March 29.—Further extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine Matheson's Offices, 11 a.m.

OTHER MEETING.

March 15.—Fourth annual dinner of Queen's College Old Boys' Assn., 8 p.m.

DOG AND CAT SHOW.

March 15.—In the Parade Ground, H.K. Dog and Cat Show, 2 p.m.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The British-American Tobacco Company has purchased a tract of land in Tsingtao on which it is expected to erect one of the largest tobacco plants in the Orient, employing 5,000 workers.

Everybody should be CLOCKS pleased. Ultimans took their clock with them to their new abode and for days our eyes wandered after the familiar spot where once it hung. Lane Crawfords have now hung a clock in a convenient position at the corner of Queen's Road which should prove a boon and a blessing. If any O.B.E.s are knocking about we hope they will be given to the proprietors of Sennet Freres Lane Crawfords, Ultimans, and Mackintosh Ltd., who have provided the Colony with clocks "free gratis and for nothing."

The legend of the ostrich that buries its head in the sand has been exploded. It does that only in books. The only thing about an ostrich is that it has a scotchy characteristic. It is long in the neck and is canny. That's why it goes in for nest eggs!

A native driver appears to think that once he has blown his horn his obligations have finished—trees and everything else have to get out of his way" said a police inspector in the Seremban police court.

A Chinese newspaper states that General Chan Tso-lla has bought 18 modern aeroplanes from a French firm at Tientsin through a certain French official.

The airships are valued at \$170,000, and are being transferred to Yingkou secretly.

Shop girls have been introduced in Chinese shops in Peking for the first time, says the Economic Bulletin, by the I.S.C. Company. It sells products of Chinese and foreign make at fixed prices of \$1.50 cents, and 10 cents each. Girls are employed for the first time in Peking to serve at the counters.

A touching little romance is told in police circles in Peking to the effect that a woman by the name of Chang was arrested in Mukden on the charge of kidnapping and was sent back to Peking to aid in the capture of her accomplice. She seemed to have a way with her, for during the trip down she so completely "vamped" her police escort that the two are now enjoying a honeymoon at Haikou, and it is expected that her marriage will save her from the Mukden court.

The list of tombstone epitaphs, stone epitaphs that are at least interesting, must be added the late Rev. S. Baring-Gould's over his wife's grave. The words are "Dimidium animae meae" ("Half my soul"). These are exquisite and beautiful, and, unlike lots of other epitaphs, very true. Mrs. Baring Gould had been a factory lass, but after some educational preparation and on her marriage, adopted herself with great success to her new responsibilities with such success as to earn the beautiful tribute recorded above.

From Hope to Java Head;

There's tale in every port of us;

Where deep sea-men are bred,

Out of Salem to the Plate,

Suva to the Golden Gate,

Hearts of oak for any fate,

Fare our trials have led.

Oh, men called it fair, the sight

of us;

With royal stanchials set,

Six oceans knew the might of us,

In Far-flung seas we met;

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Three fresh cases of small-pox were reported yesterday.

A haul of morphine was made by Revenue Officers at the Kowloon road yesterday. Details are not available but it is believed that the drug was concealed in a number of cases containing soda.

Mr. H. Rutledge secured judgment in the Summary Court to-day against Mrs. E. J. Busschaert, of Ley's Building, Kowloon, for \$140. The action, which was not defended, was concerned with a dishonoured cheque.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. W. P. Handover, planter on Bahau division of the Dunlop Rubber Plantations, died suddenly on February 25.

Rt. Rev. Bishop and Mrs. Maloney, Bishop Norris, and Rt. Rev. Bishop Graven arrived in the Colony by the "Kamala."

A Reuter cable from London announces the death of Lady Hubert Brand, wife of Rear-Admiral Hon. Sir Hubert (George) Brand.

A Reuter cable from Paris states that M. Sarraut, former Governor-General of Indo-China, announces he will not stand at the forthcoming elections, but will devote himself to colonial development.

At yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council Mr. Chau Siu-ki took the oath and his seat as a member of the Council in place of the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son, who left the Colony on Wednesday on a visit to London, as Association Commissioner of the Hongkong Section of the British Empire Exhibition.

A very pretty wedding took place in Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, when Miss Evelyn Marie Burtenshaw, daughter of the late Mr. Arthur Reaves Burtenshaw and Mrs. Burtenshaw of Taunton, was married to Mr. Thomas Phillips, son of the late Mr. Thomas Truslow Phillips, the Very Reverend Dean Symons performing the ceremony. The bride was given away by Mr. Herbert J. Andrews.

The secretaryship of the China Association becoming vacant on the death of Mr. N. H. Langley-Smith, the Committee has appointed Mr. B. L. Lewis, of Messrs. Holyoak, Massey & Co., Ltd., 7 Hankow Road. Members going home this spring on leave are requested should they so desire, to communicate their home address to the Secretary of the Shanghai Branch or to Mr. H. C. Wilcox, Secretary of the China Association, 99 Cannon Street, London, E. C.

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The death occurred on February 13 of Sir Frank McCarthy, who was for nearly 32 years editor of the Rangoon Gazette and partner in the firm of the Rangoon Gazette and British Burma Presses. After this long period of arduous duties in Burma, with leave neither frequent nor long, he severed his connection with the business in November, 1920, coincidently with his election as the first member to represent the European constituency of Burma in the Imperial Legislative Assembly, of which he subsequently became President.

The silver wedding of the Emperor and Empress of Japan is to be celebrated on May 10. In commemoration of this the Imperial garden of Shinjuku, Tokyo, will be thrown open to the public and a grand hall and park will be established there at an estimated cost of about Y. 500,000 for the benefit of the public. The hall is intended for various meetings and the ground for the athletic

PRESIDENT'S TELEGRAMS.

NAVAL OIL LEASE SCANDAL.

STATEMENT FROM WHITE HOUSE.

(Reuter's American Service.)

WASHINGTON, March 6.
The following telegram from President Coolidge to Mr. McLean in Florida, dated January 12, was placed on record by the oil committee to-day:

"Prescott is away. Advise Stimp with whom I shall confer." Stimp, the President's secretary, was then in Florida. Members of the committee are not aware who Prescott was.

The President telephoned to McLean at Palm Beach on February 12:

"Thank you for your message. You have always been considerate. Mrs. Coolidge joins me in sending kindest regards to Mrs. McLean."

President Coolidge immediately made a statement from the White House saying that the matters mentioned in his message related to questions of the local government of the district of Columbia in which Washington is located.

The President explained that he desired to confer with Prescott who was Republican City Chairman regarding district matters.

Mr. Coolidge declared that the second telegram was in reply to Mr. McLean's telegram congratulating the President on his Lincoln's day speech, and amounted merely to an exchange of amenities.

INCOME TAX SECRETS.

Mr. Coolidge declined to submit to the oil committee tax returns of individuals and corporations prominently mentioned in the oil investigation, stating that the acting Attorney-General advised him that the President is without authority to comply with the request.

Mr. Coolidge however offers to co-operate in an effort to secure amendment of the regulations which would permit the committee to inspect the returns.

FRAUD.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

It is announced that the Government next week will begin suit for cancellation of the oil leases granted to the Doheny and Sinclair interests on the ground of "fraud and illegality."

An injunction will also be asked for restraining the lessees from making any further drillings.

The court has been requested to appoint receivers to control the Government properties, pending litigation.

EARLIER CABLES.

The question of the retirement of Mr. Daugherty has again been given serious attention, and it is even stated that White House is considering the selection of his successor.

One of the reasons for the recrudescence of the demand for his resignation is the alleged disclosures resulting from the Grand Jury investigation by the Chicago Bureau, during which the Jury reported that Government funds were used for speculation and sums paid to two members of Congress.

The disclosures are stated to relate to matters over which Mr. Daugherty had technical jurisdiction as head of the Department of Justice.

TO PREVENT ATTACK.

LATER.

It is announced that Mr. McLean's congratulations related to the President's reply to the Senate's demand for the resignation of Mr. Denby.

Speaking in the Senate, Senator Lodge warmly defended President Coolidge in connection with the telegrams to McLean, declaring that they were perfectly trivial and easily explained. He said there should be a rule to protect the President from such attacks on the part of Senators.

HEATED SENATE DEBATE.

WASHINGTON, March 7.

Replying to Senator Lodge, Senator Harrison denied he had attacked the President. An altercation then ensued between Senators Harrison and Lodge terminating in Senator Harrison expressing the hope that the President would make an explanation and that the country would accept Senator Lodge's statement. At this stage Senators Hebin, Carraway and McKellar intervened. Recalling that Senator Lodge was formerly one of ex-President Wilson's bitter attackers, Senator Walsh charged Senator Lodge with trying to utilise the people's just respect and reverence for the presidency in order to "minimise the effects of the oil disclosure." The debate gradually became more heated. Senator Carraway again bitterly assailed Senator Lodge, declaring that everybody knows Wilson sleeps in his grave as a result of abuse and unjustified attacks levelled against him when President.

NOTED DOCTOR.

ABOARD S.S. "LACONIA" ON ITS WORLD TOUR.

Among the passengers of note aboard the liner "Laconia" is Dr. Edward Ahlsweide of New York, a well known bacteriological expert, who during his trip round the world is making a visit to more than a hundred hospitals, hygienic laboratories and medical institutions collecting material on tropical diseases.

Dr. Ahlsweide is the son of a noted London medical man. He studied at Cambridge, Sorbonne, Paris and Germany and made a special study of dermatology at the Unna Clinic, Hamburg. The doctor specialises in deep X-ray Therapy at the State Institute for the Study of Malignant Diseases, Buffalo, N.Y.

Dr. Ahlsweide is quoted as an authority in his particular subject and his 80 medical papers have enhanced his reputation in the medical world. Among the more important of his works are "Red Light Treatment," "Non-specific Protein Therapy," "Non-specific therapy in Syphilis Treatment," and "Non-Surgical Treatment of Malignant Tumours." He has been engaged for the last three years on a treatise dealing with the treatment of the skin and venereal diseases which is to be published in the United States.

STEAMER AFIRE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SINGAPORE, March 6.
Rangoon broadcasted an S.O.S. from the steamer "Strath Lorne" afire in the Bay of Bengal, and later broadcasted that assistance was not required.

A Reuter cable from Washington says it is understood that the engagement will shortly be announced of the Honourable John Cecil, First Secretary to the British Embassy, and Miss Cornelie Vanderbilt, only daughter of the late George W. Vanderbilt. Miss Cornelie Vanderbilt's mother is one of the famous Dresser sisters.

SPIRITED AWAY.

MISSING LAUNCH MYSTERY.

UNSIGNED LETTER.

Police and Practical Joke Theory.

Yesterday the police received a letter in Chinese, purporting to be of an urgent nature, to the effect that the steam-launch "Kwong Shun" missing from the harbour since Sunday evening, was in a bay in the Heungshan district opposite Macao. It was posted in Macao and the exact locality of the bay was given, but the letter was not signed. The police are not inclined to attach any importance to this development, their opinion being that it is the act of an irresponsible person or, possibly, an effort of the culprits to throw the police off the scent.

Up till this afternoon, no authentic intelligence had been received at Central Station, nor had the Chinese ferry company's investigators reported anything substantial.

Guards and Telephones.

The "Kwong Shun's" owner—it being chartered by the ferry company—is reported as being in conference with the C.S.P. and the superintendent of the company yesterday when it was suggested that Indian guards be placed on the ferries and wharves. The owner and the company's representative are said to have expressed an opinion that the guards would be extremely useful but that the Government should be responsible for supplying the guards. Another proposal was that telephones be installed on the wharves for ready communication.

Indignation has been expressed in some Chinese quarters at the suggestion that soldiers professing allegiance to the Canton government have been responsible for spiriting the launch away. It is pointed out that if the Canton authorities were in need of a launch they could easily procure one in Canton where there are very many still flying the Chinese flag.

In the surmises as to the fate of the launch it has been said—providing pirates were responsible—that the gangs previously known to have operated on Swatow and Shanghai steamers are usually natives of the Wai-Young districts (near Shanghai) but that those who have preyed on the river-boats in the estuary and delta of the Canton River, mostly hail from the Shantak or Tungkung districts. Some who profess to know, believe the launch is now in one of the back-reaches of the East River if she has not been destroyed.

The disappearance of this launch has led to a number of rumours regarding people taken away to ransom in previous piracies. Many well-known local Chinese firms are said to have received applications for ransom of member(s) of their staffs.

MOTOR BOAT SEIZED.

BRITISH FLAG AGAIN FLOUTED.

"ROBIN" TO THE RESCUE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, March 5.

An account of the recovery by H.M.S. "Robin" in Chinese waters of a motor-boat alleged to have been commandeered by soldiers is given in the Canton vernacular papers this morning. The motor-launch "Wing Ning" was alongside a wharf at the Western Creek on Tuesday when fourteen non-Cantonese soldiers with labels marked "the 28th brigade, 14th division, 7th army corps" proceeded to the launch and declared that the vessel was requisitioned for military purposes.

The launch flies the British flag and is registered as the property of a British firm which is known to the Chinese as "Tung Fat Young Hong" and the manager personally lodged a protest. This was of no avail as the launch was forcibly taken to a place near Shek Cheng (where the Arsenal stands). A report was made to the British Consulate whereupon the "Robin" was despatched to bring the launch back. On the approach of the "Robin" the soldiers in charge fled to the shore.

The "Robin" is stated to have opened fire with her machine-guns but no hits were registered. Shortly afterwards the motor-launch was brought back to Canton and resumed her run. The labels are in the hands of the Consulate and inquiries will be made.

HONGKONG SERVICES HOSPITALS.

QUESTIONS IN THE COMMONS.

MILITARY LANDS TRANSFER POINT.

LONDON, March 6.

In the House of Commons, in answer to questions, Mr. Wm. Graham, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, stated that negotiations were proceeding between the War Office and the Hongkong Government for the exchange of the properties there, including the existing parade ground and military hospital.

And when settlement of this question was reached, the question of naval accommodation required by the Navy and Army would be reconsidered.—Reuter.

GERMANY'S PROBLEMS.

CHANCELLOR'S REICHSTAG STATEMENT.

BERLIN, March 7.

In a speech in the Reichstag Herr Stresemann announced that a bill for the establishment of a Gold Note Bank would be submitted. He rejected the idea of neutralising the Bank of the Rhine and by making it a buffer state said he did not believe Mr. Ramsay MacDonald made such a proposal. He declared that Germany's disarmament was almost completed in the spring of 1922. Germany could not agree to replacing the Inter-Allied Military Control Commission by a commission of guarantees.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

NO HOPE.

FOR FILIPINOS INDEPENDENCE.

ANTI-AMERICAN BOYCOTT FAILURE.

MANILA, March 7.

A letter from President Coolidge stating that there is no hope of independence for the Philippines at present is regarded as a knock-out the props under the local campaign to raise money by voluntary contributions to continue propaganda in the United States. A few thousand pesos have been raised so far to which three Americans, one of whom is a missionary and the other two business men, have contributed. The projected boycott of American merchants, newspapers etc., has failed to materialise to date though there are evidences of attempts being made and a chain letter advising a boycott is being circulated.—Reuter.

BRITAIN AND AMERICA.

WASHINGTON, March 4.

Interviewing Mr. Coolidge, Sir Esme Howard, the new British Ambassador, expressed on behalf of the King and Prime Minister cordial and sincere good-will and friendship towards the United States. He gave an assurance that he would always endeavour to maintain and promote in every possible manner the cordial Anglo-American relations so much desired by every member of the British Empire.

Mr. Coolidge cordially reciprocated the greetings, and declared that happily no clouds shadowed the relations between the two countries. He believed and was conscious that the identity of the general aims which the two nations were cherishing, and the similar ideals, disciplined by liberty, truth, and love of justice would be a mighty force in bringing the world to a just and lasting peace.—Reuter.

By his will, sworn at £111,951, Mr. G. B. White, a director of Messrs. Haydock, Cooper and Co., underwriter, of Lloyd's, left £5,000 each to Harrow School, Christ's Hospital School, Horsham, and Lloyd's Benevolent Fund. Mr. Armand Guggenheim, Swiss Consul at Manchester, left estate of the gross value of £136,510.

TRADE TREATY.

BERLIN, March 5.

The Germano-Dutch Trade Treaty which expires on April 1 has been renewed for a period of three years. The prohibitive Import Duty raised in Holland against German footwear will then cease.—Reuter.

LOAN FOR SIAM.

LONDON, March 5.

The Financial News gives currency to a rumour that Siam will shortly issue a £1,000,000 loan in London.—Reuter.

RUBBER.

The output of Garing (Malacca) Rubber Estate for the year ended September 30, 1923, was 235,000 lbs. Net profit was £826, plus £240 brought in. Directors recommend writing off from discount on Debentures £1,000, carrying forward £67. Trading profit was £3,074, against £623. Gross average realised was 1s. 15d. against 9d.

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ATLAS MARU Monday, 24th Mar.

BURMA MARU Friday, 4th Apr.

SAIGON, HANOI & SINGAPORE, KISHU MARU Tuesday, 1st April.

CALCUTTA—Via Singapore and Rangoon.

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"SICILIA"	6,813	25th Mar.	S'pore, Penang, Colombo & Bombay
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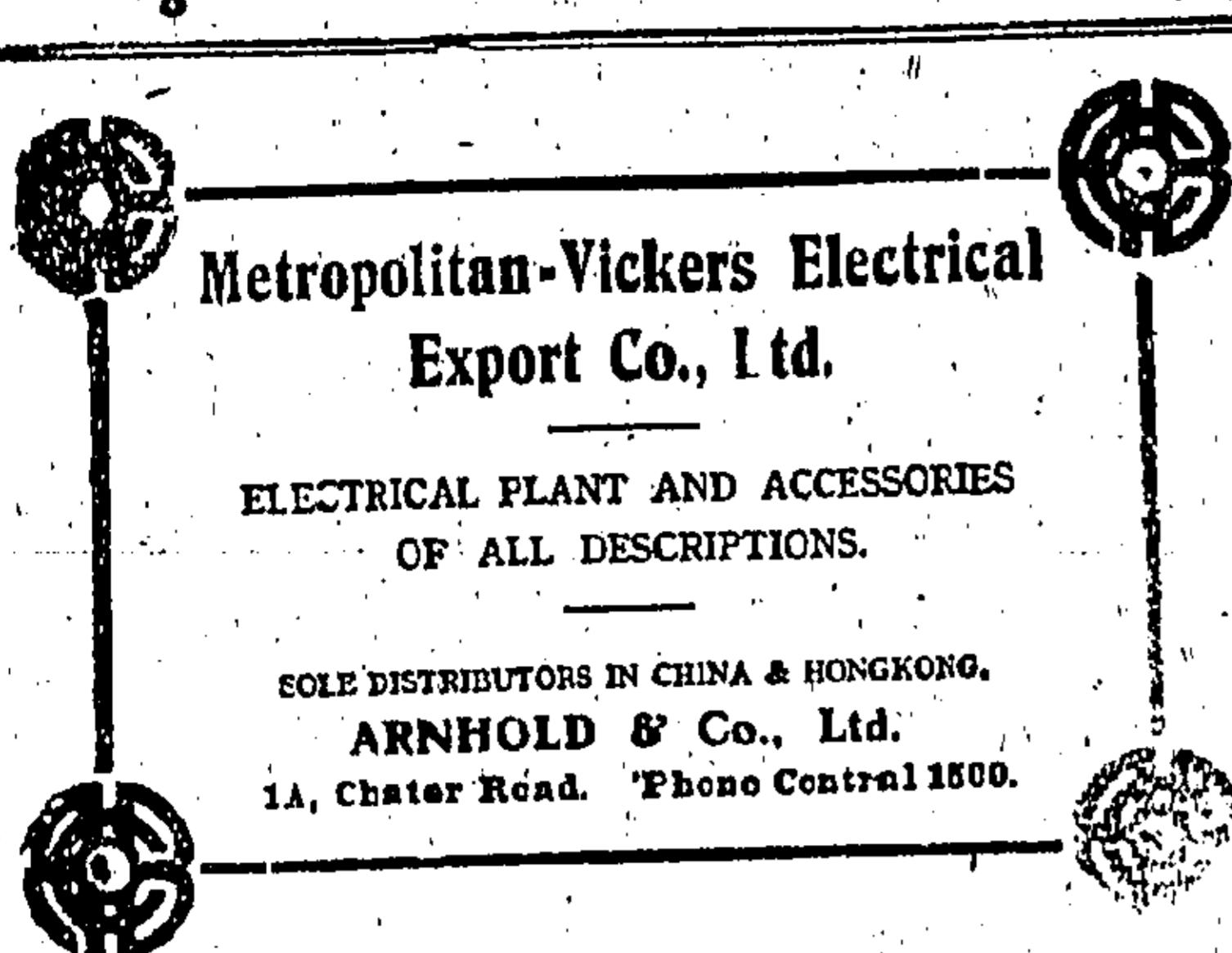
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A popular future development will be the broadcasting of wireless photographs from all parts of the world illustrating the events mentioned in the news. House and public clocks of the future will probably be synchronised with special signals sent out several times a day. Another useful development will be wireless alarm clocks worked by signals sent out every half hour in the morning. It will merely be necessary to set the clock to pick up the signal at the selected time.

Wireless sets of the future will undoubtedly be more efficient and compact, and will cost considerably less. Atmospheric "jamming" will be a thing of the past, and the amateur in the near future will receive a service which those of us might well regard with envy.

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The criminal of the future will find his chances of escape reduced to a minimum when his description, photograph, and possibly fingerprints, can be flashed all over the country in a few seconds.

Before discussing the development of radio sight, control, power and photographs, I would point out that although these branches of wireless research are in their embryo stage, the first barriers have been broken down, and they will be developed just as surely as the aeroplanes and battleship!

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DEVELOPMENT.

development will be that instead of fighting to get to the Cup Final, Derby, or Boat Race, you will sit, perhaps in a cinema, and see the event by wireless, right at the actual time of its taking place.

At present, apart from active interference, we could control an aeroplane for a hundred-mile flight and bring it back to the aerodrome, and our wireless-control aeroplanes will quickly improve. During war and peace of the future we shall control armships, torpedoes, trains, tanks, trains and lorries. A great advantage is that pilotless aeroplanes will be able to rise to the upper air where the wind resistance is less, although lack of air prevents pilots attaining that height, and they will be able to travel at enormous speeds with special engines.

It should be explained that wireless control is not a process of sending power; it is merely sending directions to the power that is on the spot in order that it may be applied as required. They aeroplanes can be controlled—these are now being sold—but this "toy" method has not real value, as any radio set can obtain equal control over the object. To obviate this in scientific control directions are sent by a secret combination of different wave lengths on the principle of the letter lock.

Early experiments in the transmission of induced power have been sufficiently successful to prove that it is only a question of patient research to bring it to a state of real efficiency. Even to-day, by an expenditure of a few horse-power we can totally destroy inductively a thin iron wire at a distance of about four feet without any connection.

The use of wireless power as a destructive agent, say to crumple up the rigging of an aeroplane, does not entail sending waves of heat through air, as it would obviously exhaust itself on the journey. The problem is to transfer energy as "electrical" oscillation which would generate heat when it actually strikes the metal, and it is with a view to solving this problem that experiments are being conducted.

I believe that in its earlier stages of usefulness power will be locally distributed from cables under the main roads, and vehicles will pick up the power through the meter as required. In the far future "wireless" power will be sent out from several stations, and practically all machinery will be driven by this source."

WIRELESS PICTURES.

An interesting branch of radio science that will be of use in the future is the transmission of light. To-day we can place a dozen bulbs on a table without any connection, light them, inductively by an expenditure of two horse power, and keep them brightly burning for any length of time. In the far future wireless light may be broadcast from stations in the same way as power.

In 1912 a partial photograph was successfully transmitted by wireless for about four miles, and the methods employed have much improved since that date. There are seven methods of transmitting pictures in use to-day, all in elementary stages of usefulness, and it remains to be proved which will eventually be the most efficient for everyday use.

Wireless photographs will eventually be flashed to the newspapers, from all parts of the world and published as quickly as news is at present!

The wireless transmission of writing will be of great use in the future. It will speed up business, for business men will be able to see, speak, and write to each other by wireless. Cheques and documents will be signed at a distance, and plans and drawings of all descriptions will be sent by radio.

All branches of radio science will develop steadily, and it is certain that the wireless wonders of the present day are nothing compared with what is yet to come! The development of radio will mean that our neighbours will cease to be for us foreigners at all, but friends whom we may call to our firesides by the sound of a lover.

All that we have now from radio has been obtained within a few years. What would our grandparents have said of the wireless telephone? Let that thought be before us.

SEEING BY WIRELESS.

Expensive educational facilities will be within the reach of all, for a dozen colleges could be linked up by wireless, and all pupils would hear a professor's lecture and see any diagrams drawn. A popular

STRIKES IN GERMANY.

BERLIN, March 5. A number of employees at the Baden Aniline Dye Works, at Ludwigshafen struck yesterday, refusing to work nine hours a day. The strikers to-day forcibly entered the works and ejected those who were working.

The police were summoned and the strikers opened fire. There were a number of casualties on both sides in the ensuing fight.

A general strike has been declared in the shipyards at Hamburg, Bremen, Luebeck and Stettin.—Reuter.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

THE FOURTH ANNUAL DINNER of Queen's College Old Boys' Association will take place on SATURDAY, 16th March at 8 p.m. in the Hall of Queen's College. Members are requested to send in their subscription before 12th inst. The minimum charge is \$3.

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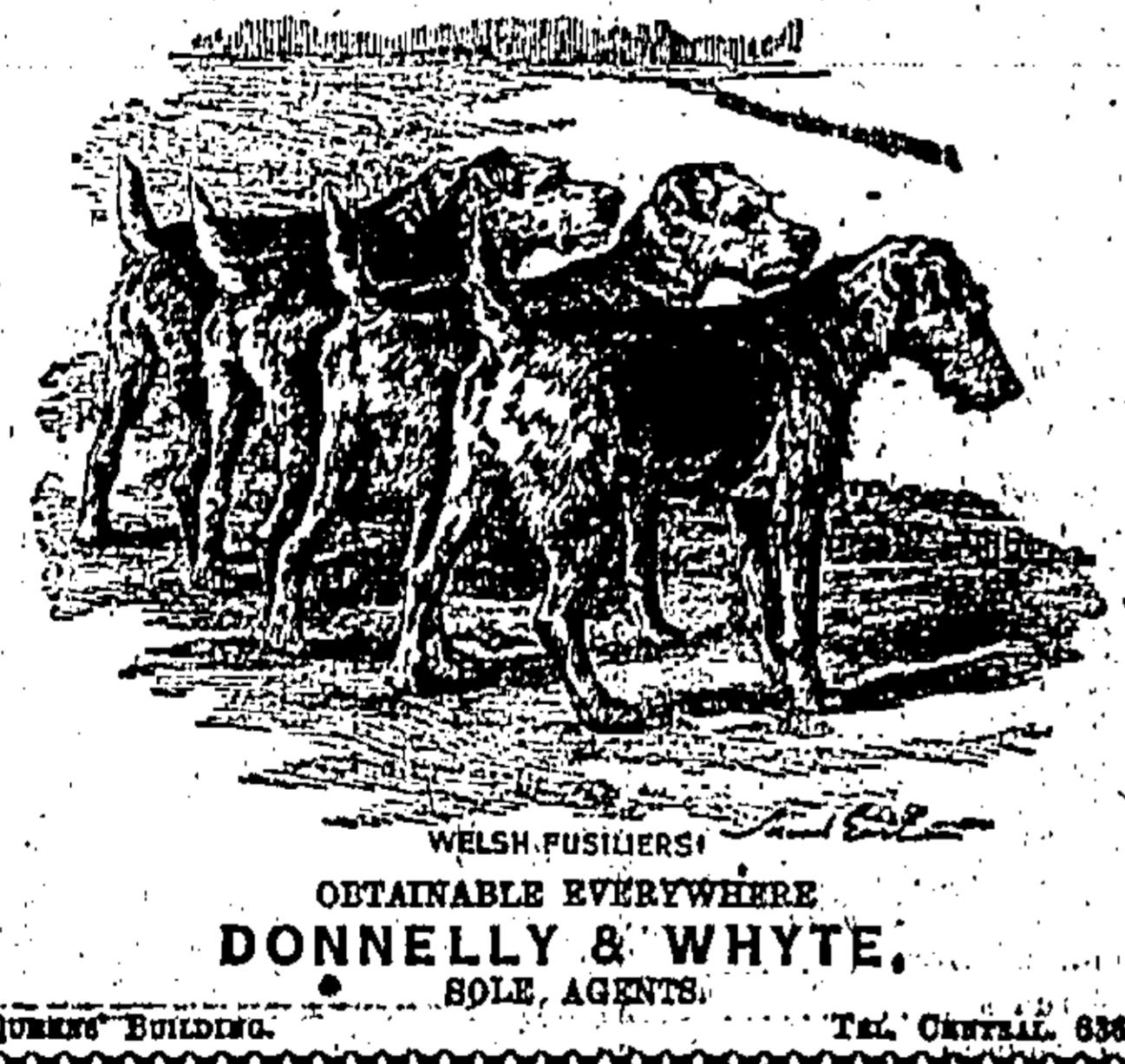
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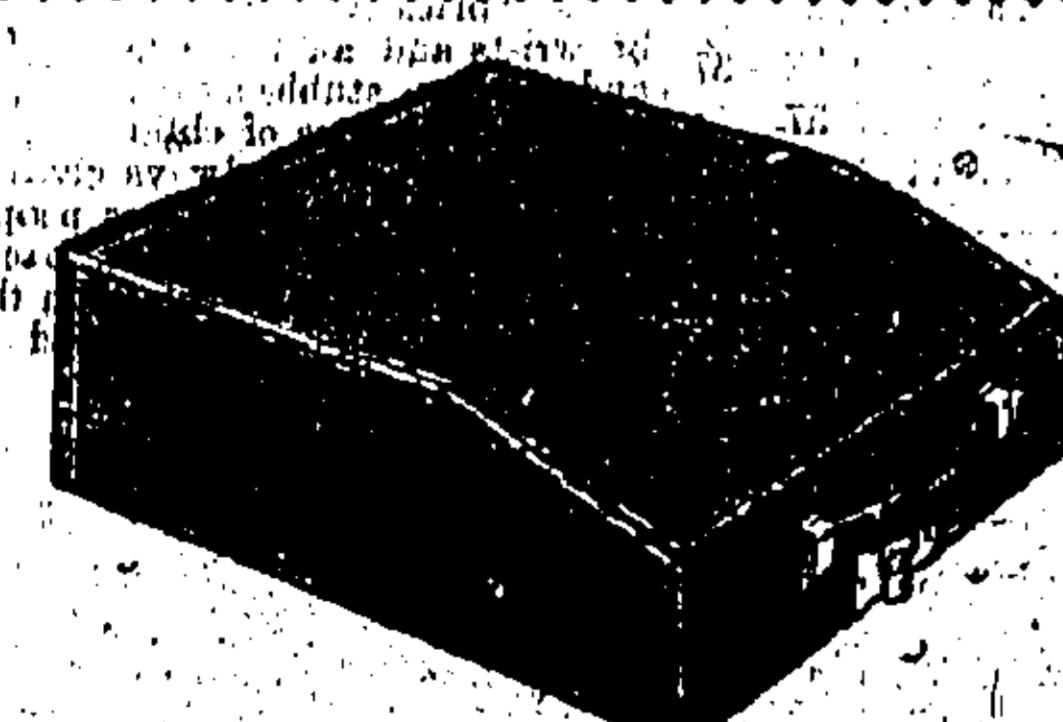
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10 Sir Edward Grey, Britain's new Ambassador to America, who is reported in this morning's cables to have interviewed President Coolidge on behalf of the King to assure him of Britain's sincere goodwill and friendship towards the United States.

The Hon. Mr. Arthur Ponsonby, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who informed the House of Commons yesterday that the Government was introducing legislation to deal with the Boxer Indemnity funds.

Mr. Winston Churchill whom the latest cables report to have received the support of several prominent Conservatives in his candidacy for the Westminster Abbey Division by-election.



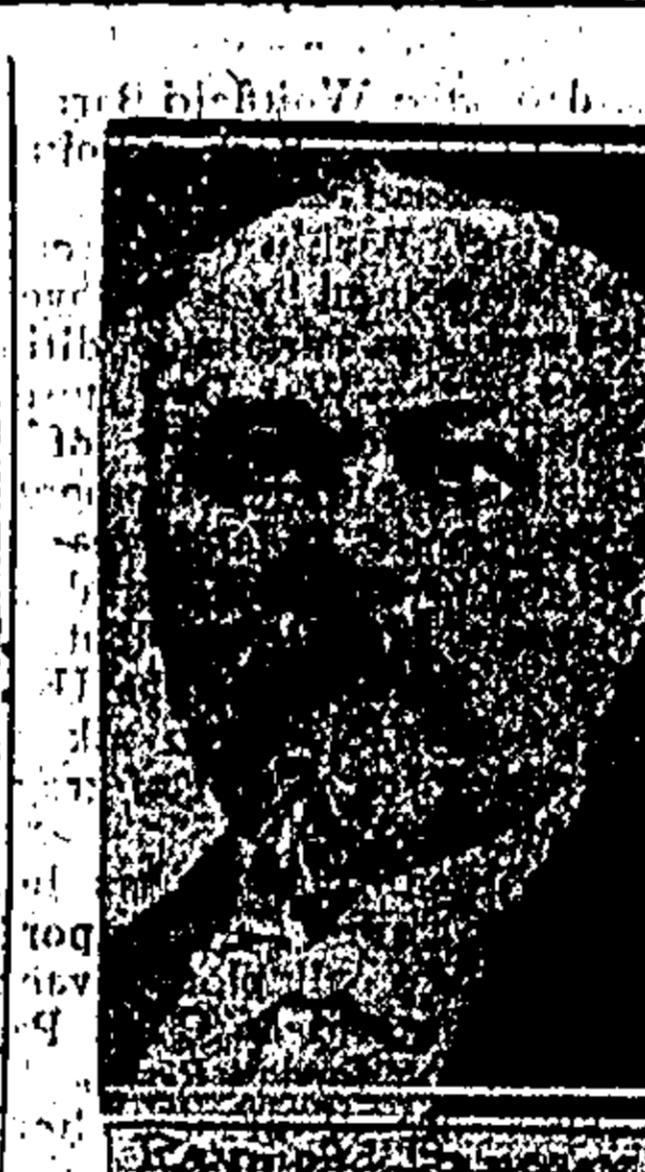
Photo by Central News.

The King recently saw a demonstration of tanks and infantry attacking in combination with smoke screen put down by howitzers.



This morning's earliest cables reported that the treason trial against Ludendorff was suddenly interrupted by the chief prosecutor refusing to continue owing to humiliating attacks by counsel for the defence.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the Conservative Party, according to this afternoon's cables has been asked by Mr. Scott-Dickers, the Liberal candidate, if he supports Mr. Winston Churchill's candidacy.



Premier of France, who has threatened to-day's cables report, to resign unless the Senate changes its views over provisions of the Finance Bill it has rejected.

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MURDER BY BOYS.
VICTIM'S FOOT SENT TO FATHER.

On December 10 Berthold Falk, a lad of 15, apprentice in a motor car works at Rheine, Westphalia, disappeared from his parents' house. The police failed to find him. On December 12 Berthold's father received a letter intimating that if he threw a packet containing 25,000 marks out of the window of a car at a certain place and time he would receive news of his son.

He did not obey, and on December 19 a leather case which he had lost was found in the street and taken to him. Inside was a human foot to which was attached a label bearing the words, "Berthold Falk's left foot."

A few days later the father received another letter stating that if 50,000 marks were not deposited at a certain place he would receive his son's left hand.

At the end of the week a third anonymous letter arrived with an order to display in the window of Falk's house how much he was willing to pay.

This was done, and the father saw two lads, Willi Delfters, aged 16, and Paul Krause, 18, looking up at the window. He followed them and caught phrases of their conversation which justified his going to the police to denounce the two as the murderers of his son.

They were arrested, and related the story of their crime with indifference. Both were fellow-apprentices of Berthold. Towards the end of November they planned to murder him to extort money from his father. On the night of his disappearance they asked him to come to the garden of Krause's home to see a motor-bicycle. In the garden one pointed a revolver at him while the other thrust a handkerchief over his mouth to prevent him from shouting. Then they tied him hand and foot with cords, struck him on the head until he appeared to lose consciousness, then dragged him to a grave which was already dug, and thrust him in. Whether alive or dead is not known. They filled in the earth and stamped it down.

Finding the attempt to extort money from the victim's father unsuccessful, Krause opened the grave and hacked off the foot which he sent to the father.

NEW MICROBES.

SUCCESSFUL SEARCH FOR "TOOTHACHE BUG."

Several microbes newly discovered are mentioned in the annual statement of the Medical Research Council in London. A kind of microbe which has been occupying the attention of the investigators might be popularly termed the "toothache bug."

In searching for this elusive thing Dr. J. K. Clarke and Dr. L. Colbrook isolated from various teeth a microbe of a type hitherto undescribed. Its shape is like a spherical shell and the name, streptococcus mutans, is proposed for it. Many more microbes have been added this year to the national collection at the Lister Institute. There are 250 fresh types. Included in these types are bacteria which are phosphorescent and some which make colouring dyes.

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Quarter hour..... 20 cents
Half hour..... 30 cents
One hour..... 40 cents
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Shanghai, Swatow—Co.'s Wharf.Pres. Madison, (A. G. Line) from
Seattle, Shanghai—K. Wharf.Benlaysia, (Gibb, Liv.) from
Leith, Singapore—K. Wharf.Karmala, (P. & O.) from Shanghai—
March 7.

Kanchow, (B. & S.) from Shang-

hai—C14.

Tailei, (Yee Tai Hong) from

Wei-hai-wei—C18.

Hainan, (Kwong, O.) from
Kwong-chow-wan—Co.'s Wharf.Devawongsa, (Cheong Fat) from
Saigon—West Point.Protous, (Larsen & Co.) from
Keelung—Wanchai.Yelun, (Marie, (M. B. K.) from
Dairen—Wanchai.

DEPARTURES.

Kwangtung, (C. M. S. N.) for
Shanghai—March 7.Hathong, (Douglas & Co.) for
Foochow, Swatow—March 7.Lokang, (J. M. & Co.) for
Shanghai, Swatow—March 7.Szechuan, (B. & S.) for
Shanghai—March 7.Sumatra Maru, (O. S. K.) for
Singapore—March 7.Hansa, (Bodiker) for Shanghai—
March 7.Van Cloon, (J. C. J. L.) for
Swatow—March 7.The Court of Inquiry into the
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SUNDAY, MARCH 9.

Straits ... Nellore

Suex and Straits ... Asyran

MONDAY, MARCH 10.

Straits ... Sicilia

TUESDAY, MARCH 11.

Straits ... Torilla

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12.

Australia and Manila ... Yoshino Maru

SUNDAY, MARCH 16.

U.S.A. Japan and Suex ... Pres. Wilson

TUESDAY, MARCH 18.

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MONDAY, MARCH 31.

U.S.A. Japan and Shanghai ... Pres. Adams

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FOURTH

TIMES

FRIDAY, MARCH 7.

Shanghai ... 8:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 2 p.m.

Shanghai and Japan ... 5 p.m.

Saigon ... Win-Hung ... 5 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 8.

Pak-hoi and Haiphong ... 8:30 a.m.

Swatow ... Hinh-Hai ... 8:30 a.m.

Hoioh ... Seistan ... 8:30 a.m.

Kuching ... 10 a.m.

Yunnang ... 10 a.m.

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AMoy ... Port-Bayard ...

Japan ... Pres. Madison ... 3:30 p.m.

Manila ... 4:30 p.m.

Hoioh ... 5 p.m.

Shanghai ... 5 p.m.

Manil ... 5 p.m.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 9.

Yokohama Maru ... 4:30 p.m.

Hong Kong ... 9 a.m.

Kaijo Maru ... 9 a.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 10.

Hydrogo ... 2:30 p.m.

Swatow and Egypt ... 2:30 p.m.

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